IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ollmann et al.

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Application No.: 10/825,251

Examiner: Tan, Alvin H.

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Group: 2173

Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING RELATIVE EMPHASIS IN A FILE

Confirmation No.: 8088

APPLICANT INITIATED INTERVIEW REQUEST FORM

Commissioner for Patents
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Tentative Participants:

1) Ramin Mahboubian

2) Examiner Alvin H. Tan

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Proposed Date of Interview: **October 14, 2008**   Proposed Time: **2:00 PM (Eastern Time)**

Type of Interview Requested:

☒ Telephone   ☐ Personal   ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit to be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes   ☐ No
If yes, provide brief description:

ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc.)	Claims/ Fig., #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
1) 103	Claim 1	*Nielsen*	☐	☐	☐
2)			☐	☐	☐
3)			☐	☐	☐

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF AGRUMENTS TO BE PRESENTED:

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on   .

*Note: This form should be completed be applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP §713.01). This application will not be delay from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFT 1.33(b)) as soon as possible.

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(Applicant/Applicant's Representative)   (Examiner/SPE Signature)
Signature)

1.   (Proposed Amendment)   In a computer system, a method of ~~providing~~ displaying a scroll bar for a file as the file is being displayed, ~~the scroll bar including a plurality of locations corresponding to a plurality of locations in the file,~~ the method comprising:

obtaining one or more location criteria ~~used~~ to identify ~~one or more~~ a plurality of desired locations in the file to be displayed;

identifying one or more display criteria to be used to designate the plurality of ~~one or more~~ desired locations in the file to display their relative importance with respect to each other;

locating ~~one or more~~ the plurality of desired locations in the file according to the one or more location criteria; and

determining relative importance of each one of the plurality of desired locations in the file with respect to each other;

displaying the scroll bar, based on the relative importance, by applying the one or more display criteria to [the] each one of a plurality of corresponding locations of the scroll bar corresponding to the ~~one or more~~ plurality of desired locations in the file, wherein said displaying of the scroll bar ~~is generated such that~~ displays each one of the plurality of corresponding locations of the scroll bar to indicate relative importance of individual content[s] in each one of the ~~corresponding locations~~ plurality of desired locations ~~of~~ in the file with respect to one another when the plurality of desired locations are displayed~~, wherein the relative importance of contents in the corresponding locations of the file is based on comparing the importance of content in location of the file with one another~~.